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PULL TOGETHER

The following excerpts from the pen of T. Sanders Orr, of the Harrodsburg Leader, are worth considering:

"We believe the loose-leaf tobacco market will bring the country and town into closer fellowship; that the farmer should be assisted by the town in the way of better roads, better schools and the joining with it in securing information as to scientific farming. The country man by coming in contact with such sentiments in the city, and finding that, to a great extent, his prosperity depends on good markets for his stuff, is seeing the wisdom of returning their interest and co-operation. Take for instance the great saving to farmers by the present loose leaf market. He saves in freights, insurance, pricing and other fees. He gets his money here at home, puts it in the banks or spends it locally. All this enables the merchants and manufacturers to employ more help, pay out more wages and make a better demand for the farmer's products. It is wonderful how prosperous a county can become by such mutual co-operation as indicated.

"Our old town is progressing. We have recently had several manufacturing enterprises started; our schools have incorporated the manual training, scientific farming and bookkeeping courses in its curriculum, doing away with the strictly cultural studies.

"Our women are wonderfully alive to the part they can play in civic advancement. They manage a fine library, have gotten up an interest in sanitation and cleanliness, insist on oiled streets, shaded roads, musical culture, and have about raised money for a beautiful hospital.

"The wave of mutual helpfulness, that grand idea that is taking such a hold on America, has reached our community, and selfishness, which never pays, is skulking to the rear. We are finding that more real pleasure is secured by putting your arm around the other fellow and helping him along, pays better in every way than to throw him down and put your heel on his head, and it results in making your own road to success easier. Politically the same ideas are gaining ground.

"You have a good old town, and by proper co-operation and a pull together along conservative and practical lines Madison ought to pull out and be a leader.

"Our county is 'dry.' Everybody is satisfied and happy over such a condition. The law is well enforced and our old town, which was noted as the toughest in the State, is now the leader in Sunday school and church work.

"So while you are working for business success, don't fail to pay attention to the moral and civic betterment of your community.

"I do not believe a success based on money that is tainted with ruined lives and desolated homes will be either lasting or satisfying."

IT'S NOT A TAX

Single blessedness is taxed in

France. All French bachelors and spinsters over 30 years of age are to be subject to an increase of 20 per cent on the income tax imposed by the income bill now under consideration, unless they have at least three persons dependent upon them.

With as many pretty girls as can be found in Richmond and Madison county, no man should be single.

Give the bachelors six months to end their state of wretchedness.

WRITE PLAINLY

The post office people will be very glad if senders of packages will use care in addressing them. Write plainly and wrap securely and remember that you can send them long before Christmas and mark them "open Christmas" which will insure prompt service and reduce the danger of loss by the Christmas rush.

On December 1, at the stroke of noon, gavel sounded in the Senate and House, signaling the opening of the first session the Sixty-third congress. Speaker Clark and Vice-President Marshall called the houses to order. An ambitious program is laid out for the nation's lawmakers, and they may be busy most of next year.

The Courier Journal remarks that to get along with women a man needs either plenty of gold or plenty of brass. In many cases, the fellow with brass gets the best of the bargain.

The Circuit Judgeship

"If he enters the race, Judge Benton certainly will be a popular and strong candidate for Governor, and many Powell citizens will give him their most loyal support.

"It certainly will also give us the very greatest of pleasure to give our suffrage to Grant E. Lilly, whom we know to be honest, upright and fully capable to serve the people of his district. The writer well remembers Mr. Lilly when he was County Attorney of Estill and we were an humble citizen of the same county, and how he fought the illegal issuance of the railroad bonds of that county, and after their illegal issuance, how he fought against their collection. Mr. Lilly was right in this case, and would have won, but he was up against great odds, and all the money necessary. In this case he did all that any county attorney could do, and far more than most of them would have done. We are for Grant Lilly because his actions have demonstrated to us without any doubt, whatever, that he is for the masses of the people of which we are one.

"However, should the district wisely choose Mr. Lilly for the next Circuit Judge he will allow no interests of feeling to swerve his decisions. He will act upon the evidence introduced, and the points of law involved, and render opinions according to law and evidence, let it favor whom it may."—Clay City Times.

The foregoing lines from our friend J. E. Burgher, Editor of the Clay City Times, are very greatly appreciated by us. Mr. Burgher has done a great work for Powell county with his excellent paper and an endorsement by him of our record as an official and his kind personal words makes us feel good aside from any political bearing.

We are a grandson of Powell county and have the interests of its people very close to our heart.

Property Changes Hands

W. M. Devore and Jake Collins have made a deal whereby Mr. Devore takes the Jake Collins live stable property now occupied by Wm. Martin on East Main Street, and Mr. Collins takes the property now occupied by Devore on West Irvine Street. Mr. Martin is undecided as to what he will do at this time.

Death of Mr. Oldham

Mr. Smith Oldham the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Oldham, died on Saturday morning after a lingering illness. The funeral was held at the home on Sunday morning at half past twelve o'clock and was conducted by Rev. Williams of the Methodist Church, thence burial in the Richmond Cemetery.

Mr. Oldham was a prominent citizen and leaves many friends to mourn his death. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Allie Cobb, and by his father and mother, to all of whom we tender our sympathy.

Hip Broken

Rev. J. R. Peeples, of Winchester, well known here, slipped on a banana peel in that city last week and sustained a fractured ankle. On account of his age, 73 years, his friends are uneasy about him.

He was pastor at the Red House Methodist Church for several years.

Found Dead

Mrs. Eliza King was found dead in bed last Saturday morning at the home of her son-in-law, James Thomas, at Ford. Mrs. King was a resident of Winchester. She had been practically an invalid for some time, but was not thought to be in a critical condition.

Col. W. P. Walton Goes to Florida

Col. Walton, lately with the Climax, will leave for Orlando, Florida to become the editor, until May next, of the "Daily-Reporter-Star," owned by his brother Ed. C. Walton.

FOR SALE

The old homestead of J. W. Stivers located at Kingston, Ky., 8 miles from Richmond, on the Big Hill pike, is offered for sale. The place contains 7 acres of the finest productive land, some fruit, and is high and dry, well watered and the most choice home place in the little village. The house is a good substantial two-story frame building of 6 rooms and hall and two porches, with fine cellar under main building; also good store house, barn, chicken and carriage houses and all necessary outbuildings. The neighborhood is of the best, accessible to good schools, churches, store and post-office. For terms apply to

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LODGE NOTES



The Great Sachem of Kentucky, having designated December 3, as Foster Day throughout the Reservation of Kentucky, Floating Canoe Tribe No. 76, took advantage of said occasion, and had Heap Big Time, all the Chiefs were feeling good, and the Degree Master Jas. W. Wagers, known as Old Fleet Foot, with his degree team, did some fine work. Said Tribe had expected a visit from the Great Sachem, Hon. Charles Davis, and had planned to take a class through, to show what Old Sexton's Tribe could do, and after the regular session, had planned and prepared a banquet for the occasion.

The lodge was called to order by the Sachem, W. T. Edwards, and after going through the regular order of business, the Council Fire was quenched in the Chiefs Degree and rekindled in the Adoption Degree, and same was then turned over to the Degree Captain, who with his team, did some fine work, the finest that was ever put on in the wigwam.

The Sachem then closed the lodge in regular form, and announced that a banquet was in waiting, so the members repaired to the banquet hall and partook of same, after which the toast master, Brother Jas. W. Wagers, called the Session to order and announced that he had a few remarks to make, and also called upon a number of the other Brothers to make a talk, and those who responded were H. H. C. Rice, T. C. Vaughn, J. E. Sexton, W. J. Newson, W. B. Lackey, C. M. Embry, O. P. Jackson, C. H. Pigg, R. E. Milligan and A. B. Kunk.

The Toastmaster before closing stated that the Great Sachem could not be present on this occasion, for cause, which was a disappointment to him as well as the other brothers, but he had been informed that he would be present on the 31st sleep, and he therefore wanted all the brothers to be present, and do half as well, as they had done on this evening, and that he would be proud of them, and that Old Sexton would be our next Great Junior Sagamore because he was speaking by authority and knew what he was saying.

Elects Officers

The Normal City Lodge, Knights of Pythias elected the following officers for the ensuing term of 1914: W. L. Howe, Chancellor Commander; T. C. Vaughn, Vice Chancellor Commander; W. B. Lackey, Prelate; S. L. Black, Master of Works; W. S. Broaddus, Keeper of Records and Seal and Master of Finance; S. W. Norman, Master of Exchequer; Tracy Green, Master at Arms; W. W. Wheeler, Inner Guard; D. W. Kennedy, Outer Guard.

Installation of the newly elected officers will be the first Thursday night in January. All members of the order are requested to be present.

Getting Him Used to It

They have been burning sulphur in the Minnie mine in Utah with the hope of discovering Ralph Lopez, a Mexican who has killed five men since he became a fugitive twelve days ago. Sheriff Smith says he will not allow his deputies to take any further chances, and they would smoke Lopez into insensibility and capture him dead or alive.

Our aim is to please everybody and we will be delighted if you will call on us when in need of anything in our line. Covington, Thorpe & Co. 11-4f

Woman's Club

Mrs. D. B. Shackelford will address the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon, December 15, at the Club Room over Perry's Drug Store. Subject, Mrs. Eddy and Christian Science.

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